

<b>DISPATCH</b>		CLASSIFICATION <b>SECRET</b>	PROCESSING ACTION
TO	CHIEF, MUNICH LIAISON BASE ATTN - <u>      </u>		MARKED FOR INDEXING  XXX NO INDEXING REQUIRED
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FROM	CHIEF OF STATION, GERMANY		MICROFILM
SUBJECT			
ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES			
<p>1. PLEASE <del>PASS</del> THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO UTILITY'S OFFICE AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE -</p> <p>★ IT IS A PLEASURE TO BE IN A POSITION TO INFORM YOU THAT YOUR VISIT TO FRANKFURT WILL COINCIDE WITH A VISIT OF A GROUP OF VERY SENIOR OFFICIALS WHO ARE STUDYING THE CAPABILITY OF THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY TO PROVIDE THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE WARNING OF HOSTILITIES. THIS GROUP WILL BE COMPOSED OF THE FOLLOWING:</p> <p>(1) MR. BENJAMIN R. SHUTE WHOM YOU MET YEARS AGO WHEN HE WAS MR. MCCLOY'S <del>STAFF</del></p> <p>REF</p> <p>★ DIRECTOR OF INTELLIGENCE. HE IS A PARTNER OF THE CRAVATH LAW FIRM IN NEW YORK AND WAS THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF A COMMITTEE WHICH ESTABLISHED THE NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY IN 1952.</p> <p>(2) MAJOR GENERAL JOHN M. REYNOLDS, USAF, GENERAL REYNOLDS' LAST ASSIGNMENT WAS VICE-DIRECTOR OF THE JOINT STAFF. HE WAS RECENTLY ASSIGNED TO THE STAFF OF MR. MCCONE IN RESPONSE TO A REQUIREMENT THAT A HIGHLY QUALIFIED SENIOR MILITARY OFFICER BE PROVIDED TO THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE TO WORK ON THE EVALUATION AND COORDINATION OF THE U.S. INTELLIGENCE EFFORT.</p> <p>(3) MR. GERRY E. PETTIBONE, A SENIOR EXAMINER OF THE BUREAU OF THE BUDGET.</p> <p>(4) MR. J. J. HITCHCOCK WHO FOR MANY YEARS WAS THE CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL INDICATIONS CENTER.</p> <p>(5) MR. BENSON BUFFHAM OF <sup>7HC</sup> NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY.</p> <p>(6) COLONEL HOWARD V. PULLEN, USAF.</p>			
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/7/ CAPTAIN ROSS R. HIRSHFELD (WELL KNOWN TO YOU FROM HIS SERVICE IN GERMANY), U.S. NAVY.

B. WITH YOUR AGREEMENT, I WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU AND YOUR CHIEF OF COMMUNICATIONS TO MEET WITH THIS GROUP FOR 45 MINUTES OR AN HOUR BEFORE LUNCH AND THEN TO HAVE LUNCH WITH THEM AT THE CASINO. WE PLAN TO HAVE THE OTHER MEMBERS OF YOUR STAFF JOIN THE GROUP FOR LUNCH.

C. I DO NOT BELIEVE THAT IT WOULD BE NECESSARY OR EVEN APPROPRIATE TO ASK THAT YOU PROVIDE THE GROUP WITH A BRIEFING. THEY ARE WELL ACQUAINTED WITH THE LONG TRADITION OF COOPERATION BETWEEN YOUR SERVICE AND THE AMERICAN SERVICES AND THEY WILL HAVE BEEN BRIEFED BY MR. MADISON MITCHELL CONCERNING THE FUNCTIONING OF THE ATG/CGG CHANNEL EARLIER IN THE MORNING. THEIR BASIC INTEREST IS IN THE EFFECTIVENESS OF OUR VARIOUS INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES - COLLECTION, PROCESSING, ANALYSIS AND EVALUATION AS CONTRIBUTIONS TO STRATEGIC WARNING. I BELIEVE THAT THE MOST VALUABLE THING WE CAN DO IS TO HAVE A ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION.

~~2. FOR [ ] INFORMATION, I AM ARRANGING WITH NSA TO HAVE~~  
~~MR. [ ] PARTICIPATE IN OUR BRIEFING RATHER THAN NSA'S. HE WILL~~  
~~ALSO JOIN US FOR LUNCH.~~

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